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Applicant:	Ross Blanton, et al.	)	
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Serial No.	10/695,030	)	
		)	Group 1797
Filed:	October 28, 2003	)	
		)	Examiner N. Levkovich
Title:	COMPACT, INTEGRATED SYSTEM FOR	)	
	PROCESSING TEST SAMPLES	)	
		)	Confirmation no. 5700

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO JULY 16, 2008 OFFICE ACTION**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is submitted in response to the final office action mailed July 16, 2008 in the above matter.

Applicants have petitioned to revive the application due to unintentional abandonment, and have filed a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). This response, the RCE and the petition to revive the application constitute a full and complete response to the July 16, 2008 office action.

Claim amendments are set forth in the **listing of claims** commencing on page 4.

**Remarks** commence on page 10.